Juvenile Christian Fiction



Mary Mae and the gospel truth by Sandra Dutton

J F DUT

Ten-year-old Mary Mae, living with her parents in fossil-rich southern Ohio, tries to reconcile, despite her mother's strong disapproval, her family's Creationist beliefs with the prehistoric fossils she studies in school.



The True Gift by Patricia MacLachlan

JFMAC

While spending Christmas at their grandparents' farm, Lily becomes convinced that her younger brother Liam is right about White Cow being lonely and helps him seek a companion for her, leaving little time for Christmas preparations or reading.



Heart of a shepherd by Roseanne Parry

J F PAR

Ignatius "Brother" Alderman, nearly twelve, promises to help his grandparents keep the family's Oregon ranch the same while his brothers are away and his father is deployed to Iraq, but as he comes to accept the inevitability of change, he also sees the man he is meant to be.



The Tent: a parable in one setting by Gary Paulsen

JFPAU

Although dismayed and embarrassed when his father takes him on the road to get rich preaching the word of God, fourteen-year-old Steven finds himself caught up in the money and the things it can buy. Includes questions for discussion.



Something to sing about by C.C. Payne

J F PAY

Ten-year-old Jamie Jo's fear of bees keeps her inside most of the time, but a series of events that begins when her mother is excluded from the church choir brings about changes, including new friendships and greater trust in God.

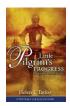


What Momma left me by Renee Watson

JFWAT

After the death of their mother, thirteen-year-old Serenity Evans and her younger brother go to live with their grandparents, who try to keep them safe from bad influences and help them come to terms with what has happened to their family. Includes recipe for red velvet cake.

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Little Pilgrim's progress by Helen L. Taylor

J CLA TAY

A simple adventure story and a profound allegory of the Christian journey through life, a delightful read with a message kids ages 6 to 12 can understand and remember. A new look and fresh illustrations for today's children enlivens the journey to the Celestial City.



Pilgrim's Progress by Gary D. Schmidt

J CLA SCH

The pilgrim Christian undertakes the dangerous journey to the Celestial City, experiencing physical and spiritual obstacles along the way.



J WBW FIX

During the turbulent 1960s, sixth-grader Mary Clare makes a deal with God: she will try to become a saint if He provides for her large, cash-strapped family.



With a name like Love by Tess Hilmo

J WBW HIL

Thirteen-year-old Olivene Love gets tangled up in a murder mystery when her itinerant preaching family arrives in the small town of Binder, Arkansas in 1957.



Pharaoh's daughter: a novel of ancient Egypt by Jules Lester

J WBW LES

A fictionalized account of a Biblical story in which an Egyptian princess rescues a Hebrew infant who becomes a prophet of his people while his sister finds her true self as a priestess to the Egyptian gods.



Preacher's boy by Katherine Paterson

J WBW PAT

In 1899, ten-year-old Robbie, son of a preacher in a small Vermont town, gets himself into all kinds of trouble when decides to give up being Christian in order to make the most of his life before the end of the world.



A Month of Sundays by Ruth White

J WBW WHI

In the summer of 1956 while her mother is in Florida searching for a job, fourteen-year-old April Garnet Rose, who has never met her father, stays with her terminally ill aunt in Virginia and accompanies her as she visits different churches, looking for God.



The Bronze Bow by Elizabeth George Speare

J Newb SPE

A young boy seeks revenge against the Romans for killing his parents, but is turned away from vengeance by Jesus.

Juvenile Series



Bloodhounds, Inc. (Series) by Bill Myers

J SER BLO

Read funny, hair-raising mysteries starring brother and sister, Sean and Misty. This is a fast-paced alternative to the *Goosebumps* series.



Cooper Kids Adventure (Series) by Frank E. Peretti

J SER COO

The first book in the series is about an American archeologist and his two children seek God's protection and guidance as they journey to the Near East in search of a buried biblical treasure which local residents believe is cursed.



Daughters of Faith (Series) by Wendy Lawton

J SER DAU

While making the pilgrimage from Holland to America in 1620 with other English Separatists, teenaged Mary Chilton endures many hardships that test her faith in God.



Elsie Dinsmore (Series) by Martha Finley

J SER ELS

Set amid the sweet blossoms of a southern mansion, this timeless classic delves into the heart of Elsie--an extraordinary little girl whose quest for love from her earthly father leads to a mature understanding of the love of her Father in Heaven.



Faithgirlz (Series) by Nancy N. Rue

J SER FAI

Growing up isn't easy. With so much to learn and figure out sometimes deciding who you are is the biggest challenge of all. * Several separate series incorporated into Faithgirlz.



Forbidden Doors (Series) by Bill Myers

J SER FOR

Some doors are better left unopened. Some doors, you don't want to find out what lies behind them. In the Forbidden Doors series, teenager 'Becka' Williams, her younger brother Scott, and her friend Ryan are swept into heart-stopping encounters with an all-too-real invisible world.



Grandma's Attic (Series) by Arleta Richardson

J SER GRA

A collection of stories of life in the late nineteenth century, many of them reflecting the Christian faith of the author's family, including tales of a contest for the best handiwork, a pig asleep in a baby carriage, and a visitor without a name.



Imagination Station (Series) by Marianne Hering

J SER IMA

Watch for falling ice and flying spears! Mr. Whittaker, a kind but mysterious inventor, has sent cousins Patrick and Beth to Greenland through the Imagination Station. Join Patrick and Beth as they continue their travel to various lands and time in the Imagination Station book series.



Life of Faith (Series) by Tracy Leininger Crave

J SER LIF

Explores the lives of various girls and their faith.



Lily (Series) by Nancy N. Rue

J SER LIL

Biblically based fiction series for girls—with a fresh new look and updated content—addresses social issues and coming-of-age topics, all with the spunk and humor of Lily Robbins as she fumbles her way through unfamiliar territory.

Mandie (Series) by Lois Gladys Leppard

J SER MAN

Readers will discover anew the charms of the impulsive Mandie Shaw as she faces mysteries and adventures.



The Chronicles of Narnia (Series) by C.S. Lewis

J SER NAR

Join Peter, Susan, Edmund and Lucy through all of their adventures in the magical world of Narnia.



Viking quest (Series) by Lois Walfrid Johnson

J SER VIK

Thirteen-year-old Bree asks God for protection when she and her brother Devin are captured and taken from their home on the Irish coast by Viking raiders in the late tenth century.



Winnie the horse gentler (Series) by Dandi Daley Mackall

J SER WIN

Twelve-year-old Winnie Willis has a way with horses. She can gentle the wildest mare, but other parts of her life don't always come as easily. Along with her dad and sister, Lizzy, Winnie is learning how to live without her mom, who was also a natural horse gentler. As Winnie teaches her horses about unconditional love and blind trust, God shows Winnie that he can be trusted too.



Young American Patriots (Series) by Susan Olasky

J SER YOU

Anger at the British has reached a new high in the colonies and Will must decide how he feels about calls for America's independence while grappling with his master's budding faith in God.

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